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We need new representatives in the Republican party.

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We welcome to our exchange the "Springfield Tribune," neatly printed paper.

THE BEE will come out in a new dress next week. Subscribe for The Bee, the national organ.

The Democratic party asserts that Cleveland and Hendricks That may be will be elected. very true, but the Republican party will do the inauguration. How does that strike you, Brother Daily Post.

Hon, John A. Logan is a great soldier and statesman, and will be the next vice president of the United States. Yet Commis-Leioner West said there were bigger men than he who endorsed Mr. Brooks. Who are they?

I wish to speak for the millions all political parties, and in their name to declare that the Republic must be strong enough, and shall be strong enough, to protect the weakest of its citizens in all their rights .- James G. Blaine.

Secretary Teller is the colored race's friend. The promotions made a few days ago demonstrates the fact he has no prejudices on account of color. Public Printer Rounds and Secretary Teller are indeed the poor man's friends.

escape from rejection when nom- subjection, and should that party inated for the position he now be successful in carrying the State marked, they knew her quite well; but holds should have suggested to the colored people will be placed him the wisdom of cultivating in the same position as they were the friendship of the people of in years gone by. Such policy as Washington. If he hopes for a re- that of Gen. Mahone is the only ceive the promised promotion, the labor and has for its standard appointment, he will not only find policy that will improve the con- inference is notwithstanding the bearer a monopolist. several obstacles in the way, but dition of the South. It is the "Certificates of character" given 4th. As an example of Demowill be confronted by the 180,000 medium through which the Negro him, "his work was not good cratic treachery and infidelity to

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MESEGNATION.

PLATER--OWENS.

Why does a white woman love a black man?

Why does a black man love white woman?

Why is it that when there is no law against white and black mar rying that the police authorities of the District of Columbia, without any warrant, arrest and unlawfully detain in durance vile every couple of the kind who apply here for license to marry? Do they de sire to put a premium upon illicit intercourse?

Should not those who are persecuted by our ignorant police authorities prosecute them and teach them something.

Which set of delegates fron the District of Columbia deserve most credit, the Republican or Democratic? The Republican delegates went and kicked up a row as to which should go on the National Committee and the different committees, while the others got a measure through to the effect that none but citizens of the District shall be appointed District Commis-

by the BEE, and the persistent ef forts of Trustee Smith, Commissioner West was forced to recognize the Negro janitors of the schools in the Eighth to the extent of investing them with police authority. It is now in order for Trustee Brooks, the "champion woman fighter," to obtain like authority for the janitors in the Seventh division, then claim he did it all.

TRYING TO PLAY OPOS-SUM.

One of our contemporaries, the "People's Advocate," after it found out to its own satisfaction that Mr Brooks would be appointed a school trustee, from the information the editor of that paper received from one of the BEE staff, and one day prior to the time the appointment was made, a long editorial was written endorsing Mr. Brooks.

The editor of that paper has been more opposed to Mr. Brooks than the BEE, but he didn't have the moral courage to oppose his reappointment. Mr. Brooks is the wrong man to play opossum with, Mr. Cromwell. He don't need your endorsement, says Mr. Brooks. "Thusly you are thanked for your trouble."

## MAHONE AND VIRGINIA.

We are impressed with the idea that Gen. Mahone will carry the State next fall for Blaine and Logan. It is the duty of every loyal citizen of that State to work assiduously for victory. The Democratic party of the State of Virginia has not changed. That par-Commissioner West's narrow ty still holds the colored race in

strated by the policy that he has adopted to raise the colored race in the State upon the same political platform as the white man. It is well that the voters of the State votes for a free ballot and a fair count, which will go down to poster- in order to displace a lady. ity as one of Gen. Mahone's immortal acts. We have the most abiding faith in him as a leader and a man of indomitable will.

THE LETTERS OF ACCEPT-ANCE.

The letters of Hons. James G Blaine and John A. Logan are indeed the sentiment of the American people. Mr. Blaine's lette somewhat surprised the Democratic press of this country by his mild manner in dealing with the issues of the day. Gen. Logan's letter meets the approval of the great soldier element and the colored voters of this country. It has been Gen. Logan's theme from the time he entered the Republican party to defend the rights of the colored people. So far as the colored people are concerned, they are satisfied with both letters of acceptance, and are prepared and willing to perpetuate the existence of the Republican party.

SOREHEAD'S SENTI MENT.

Major E. A. Burke, director general of the World's Exposition, is one of the ablest and most progressive men in the The success of the great exposition will carry his name and fame throughout the world. He cut a very big figure in the National Democratic Convention. We nominate him for a cabinet position, if by some inscrutable decree of fate Cleveland and Hendricks should b elected. - "The Louisiana Standard."

One would judge that the above article was from a Democratic paper, but no, it is from P. B. Pinchback's Louisiana Standard, edited by one Martinette, who, by the way, was a delegate to the Chicago convention, and because he failed to control Ex-Governor Kellogg, he is now kicking in the Burke to all intents and purposes, that he had neither brain or sense. To-day Mr. Burke is a great and good man in the estimation of the "Standard." The editor of the "Standard" has the accent of a Chinaman and the airs of a French clown. He performs weekly at the expense of Kellogg, Dumont, and others in the P. B. S. Pinchback alias the Louisiana Standard.

RECENT CHANGES IN HIGH SCHOOL.

want of confidence in the acquirements and ability of the lady and the affair deserves success. principal but simply for the reathe large school buildings for the boys, they will take care of you. same reasons, but it never favored such methods of displacement as would deprive competent ladiea, who have made teaching a profession, of their only means of support, and leave them under a cloud of incompetency, or worse. The card of J. L. Dart, if true, exposes a conspiracy on the part of Trustee Brooks, "Champion woman fighter," that is not only discredit able but dishonorable to a degree as to even shame Brooks himself. Read what Mr. Dart says:

That before entering upon the duties of my position the trustees and superintendent informed me that I would be promoted in case my work should prove to be good and my cause honorable and man-

That at the same conference the Trustees stated to me that they expected to ear everything mean and dishonorable said about me and my work by the principal of the High School, since they re that I should not fear as they would stand ty has opposed.

Mahone has been he is not now; remarks relative to the lady prinwhat he will be is plainly demon- cipal? Certainly not Messrs. Smith and Purvis, for they are gentlemen who, while favoring a master for the High School, would scorn to resort to such dishonorable methods as officially prejushould be careful and cast their dicing in advance, and encouraging insubordination in a teacher,

No, it was Mr. Brooks' work,

who so far overreached his unsuspecting colleagues as to make them in part responsible for his cowardly attack upon a lady who never harmed him in any way. and who has among her many friends those whom he (Brooks) does not like, but being too cowardly to attack them he strikes at a woman, and enlists the services of a professor (?) to aid him, who, after serving his master, is turned adrift with his gripsack of credentials given, doubtless, as in the case of Dr. Purvis, to get rid of him. Mr. Dart should carry with him, in connection with his dismissal by Trustee Brooks, his letter of suspension by Superintendent Cook for disobedience and insubordination, then his collection of waste paper, including his sworn statement, would be complete. So far as Mr. Brooks is concerned, nothing better was expected from a man whose highest ambition is to persecute women, and who is never happier than when engaged in plotting to displace some deserving teacher. But of the other gentlemen, who have some reputation to lose, the people look to and expect better things from. Will they look in vain?

"WHY IS THIS THUS?"

Up to within a very few years ago it used to be the custom on some two or three occasions during the summer season for whole families to come together at some steamboat wharf, railroad depot, or other rendezvous, with well filled baskets, a little something perhaps in a short thick-set bottle for "snake bite," and at an early hour in the morning start for "fresh fields and pastures new" where the babies might tumble in the loiks tripped the light fantastic toe, or stroll through leafy bowers, while Darby and Joan would fish, talk over old times and unite their souls in a day of rest from the cares of business and the heat of the city. This good old healthgiving habit has too much fallen into disuse, and the Basket Pic-nic | the White House. It is a social and Excursion to be given by the Washington Cadet Corps to Mar- rich residents of the West End shall Hall on Tuesday, August 5th, belong to it. A few of the old is intended, and all efforts are be- families are influential members. ing put forth by the committee, to The alumni of the government see whether the old fashion, all charity schools at West Point and day, all the family basket pic-nic Annapolis form a very considerais really played out or not. There ble part of the rank and file It is well known that the "Bee" is no place on the river so delight. Here and there a ten favored placing a male head in ful for such a purpose as Marshall center, sub rosa, is awarded exthe High School, not because of Hall. Every effort will be made ceptional honor or office, while to exclude improper characters, the head and representative of the

In case of having a large at- politan Club. sons that the school was growing tendance both morning and eve

> THE NEGRO AND THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY.

The Democratic party of this when they saw that brand. country seems to marvel at the idea that the colored race should be so greatly opposed to that party. There is nothing at all strange that party. Perhaps a few reasons why will convince our Democratic contemporary, the Daily Post. We are opposed to the Demcratic party.

istence that party has kept us in dealing, but it did no good. The

3rd. The Democratic party is plaining citizens. Mr. Dart having failed to re- against protecting the interests of

of political liberty. What Gen. manly." What trustees made the States, are the seceding of the to enrich themselves, through The Gazette, Trenton.

States in the late civil war, the them, at the expense of the balagainst the will of the people.

to hope from the Democratic parsuffrages of the colored voters.

The very principles for which Hendricks.

the Democratic party.

The prosperity of the country and the welfare of the colored race throughout the country depends uate the present form of governupon the success of the Republi- ment for the District and hold on can party.

his past acts towards the colored aristocracy. race. We have this to say, if party, four wounds received in lic of America.

So tar as the colored people are concerned, they are satisfied with this brave defender of their rights. We further claim that to be good Democrat in those days it was necessary to pass acts against the Negro.

We can only say, "go thou faithful servant we find no fant

THE DISTRICT GOVERN-MENT AN OLIGARCHY.

A self-constituted oligarchy has grown up under the shadow of official, and financial body. The guild is undoubtedly the Metro-

The active members of this and the supervision required more ning, arrangements will be made to oligarchy have abundance of leiphysical labor than was possible have two return trips of the boat, sure, and manage to find opporfor a lady to exert. It likewise one at 8 o'clock, and one at 11 tunity to reach the ear of power. favors the appointment of males to o'clock p. m. Go down with the They got into the committee rooms of Congress and wrested the ballot from nearly two hundred thousand people, thereby branding "failure" on the forehead of elective government. How the enemies of American institutions must have chuckled

These oligarchs surrounded the Executive Mansion and obtained for the men of their set all the important District offices, and then in the colored race's opposition to they took the money collected as taxes from the people of the whole District and expended it chiefly on the streets and avenues of their own little aristocratic quarter.

The disfranchised citizens re- republic? 1st. Because from our very ex- monstrated and petitioned for fair insolence of irresponsible power at District headquarters to com- country?

> The great body of the common people have neither part nor lot

Fort Pillow massacre, the recent ance of the taxpayers. No Com-Danville riot and the shooting of missioner has ever been appointhelpless negroes to carry the State | ed outside of their set, or outside their section of the District, ex-The Democratic party of to-day | cept two or three cases where the is the same as it was in 1861. appointees were tak n from the The fact is row the control of the | States; and even these appointees government is in the hands of the made haste to conciliate the oligar-Republican party, which always chy by establishing a domicile edurtil the party is just alive meant protection for the Ameri- at the West end, and by excan citizens, from the cradle to the pending an undue proportion of the money for street improve- does'nt care. He is still alive and The colored race has nothing ments on the streets and avenues able to kick, and has a great many of that aristocratic neighborhood. friends, and some dayty, and nothing to gain which Take a ride over the elegant would entitle that party to the streets and avenues of the West End and see.

The purpose of the oligarchy, Lincoln died, the very rights for at first disguised under the prewhich Sumner was knocked down tense of allowing the "better classsenseless in the Senate of the es" to govern, is getting to be United States, the cost of our more generally understood. These country's blood upon the field of self-styled "better classes" appear battle, and the many wounds re- to be very much like Bobceived by the brave defenders of by Burns' "Holy Willie," or the our country, would be blotted Pharisees who "thanked God that from the pages of history by this they were not as other men," or Democratic party which has for the ten percenters whom Christ its standard bearers Cleveland and drove out of the temple. They are evidently a bad lot, and their man-The deeds in the pages of our agement of District affairs appears American history shall not be to have been selfish and sectional blotted out by the ascendency of even for Pharisees and ten per-

But it is plan that the purpose of this oligarchy is to perpetto all the offices; and ultimately, There has been a great deal of no doubt, they expect to bloom talk about General Logan and out into a recognized American 9 40, and 10 10 p. m.

It has come to pass that the twenty years in the Republican common people and the taxpayers in the humbler walks of life, the body in defense of his country, by disregard of their petitions and and his consistent course from the requests on the part of the Comtime he joined the Republican par- missioners, have been made to feel ty are not sufficient to recommend | that they have no rights which him to the loyal people of this need be taken notice of at District country, then let the people say headquarters. Their very presence there is no loyalty in the Republicial there seems to disturb the official quiet. They are supposed to have learned by this time that the road to Distri. t honors and offices does not extend east of Seventh street, N. W., and is badly out of repair between Seventh and Thirteenth. But west of Thirteenth it is in excellent order.

> No wonder the select circles of delighted with the present orders of things, and declare it to be just too lovely for anything; and no doubt they would throw up their arms in a scream of dramatic horor at the bare mention of a return to a government by the people, Nevertheless, that mention is liable to be made almost any day; and the question whether it is better to be governed by an oligarchy or by the whole people is liable to be considered almost any day.

This question raises the same old is ue about which King George got into trouble with the fathers of the republic a good many years ago. In that scrimmage, the fathers took the side of the people, and did battle for the right of the people to govern themselves and to choose their own rulers. They thought they had downed old King George and his oligarchy tor all time, and they died in the belief that their children were safe from the clutch of aristocratic

But it seems they were mistaken. The snake was scotched, not killed. And now, after the lapse of a century, the reptile is produced from the bosom of a pampered oligarchy, and warmed into life at the hearthstone of a Metropolitan Club, and with rattling tail and 9 a. m, and 6 o clock, p. m. deally fangs and glaring eyes is nurled hissing among a disfranchised people.

What are they to do? Thus far they seem to have been terrorized and stampeded. Isn't it about time to call a halt? On what ground is elective government stricken down in the capital of the

Why don't the Democratic 2nd. Every act of legislation increased with each succeeding press quote some of the utterances that has been introduced in the Board of Commissioners, until of Thos. A. Hendricks during the Congress of the United States to "The people be d-d" has come war, that should commend him to aid the Negro, the Democratic parto be a not unusual form of reply the support of the lovers of his

The Democratic party will in the present District govern- never win a National victory until ment, except to pay taxes. The it lets up its grip on the solid Company's office, 601 Pa, ave, or at Union Dec people he said he didn't "care a may hope to reach that standard and his course not honorable or the Constitution of the United the important offices, and manage and a fair count in that section. oligarchs name the men for all South, and permits a free ballot M. SLAUGHTER,

We witnessed the little comedof the whole Democratic part rising as one man and sitting down hard on our friend Mr. Butler and his little platform. When Me Butler used to train seriously with that party it was strong of limb and sound of body, but year after year its sinews have weaken. able to whisper "Reform and remember 1876." But Mr. Butler

By the way, the Demo rats drank fifty gallons of whiskey per day at the Palmer House. - The World, Indianapolis.

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